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The Visit of the EME Branch Colonel Commandant to Afghanistan in 2009

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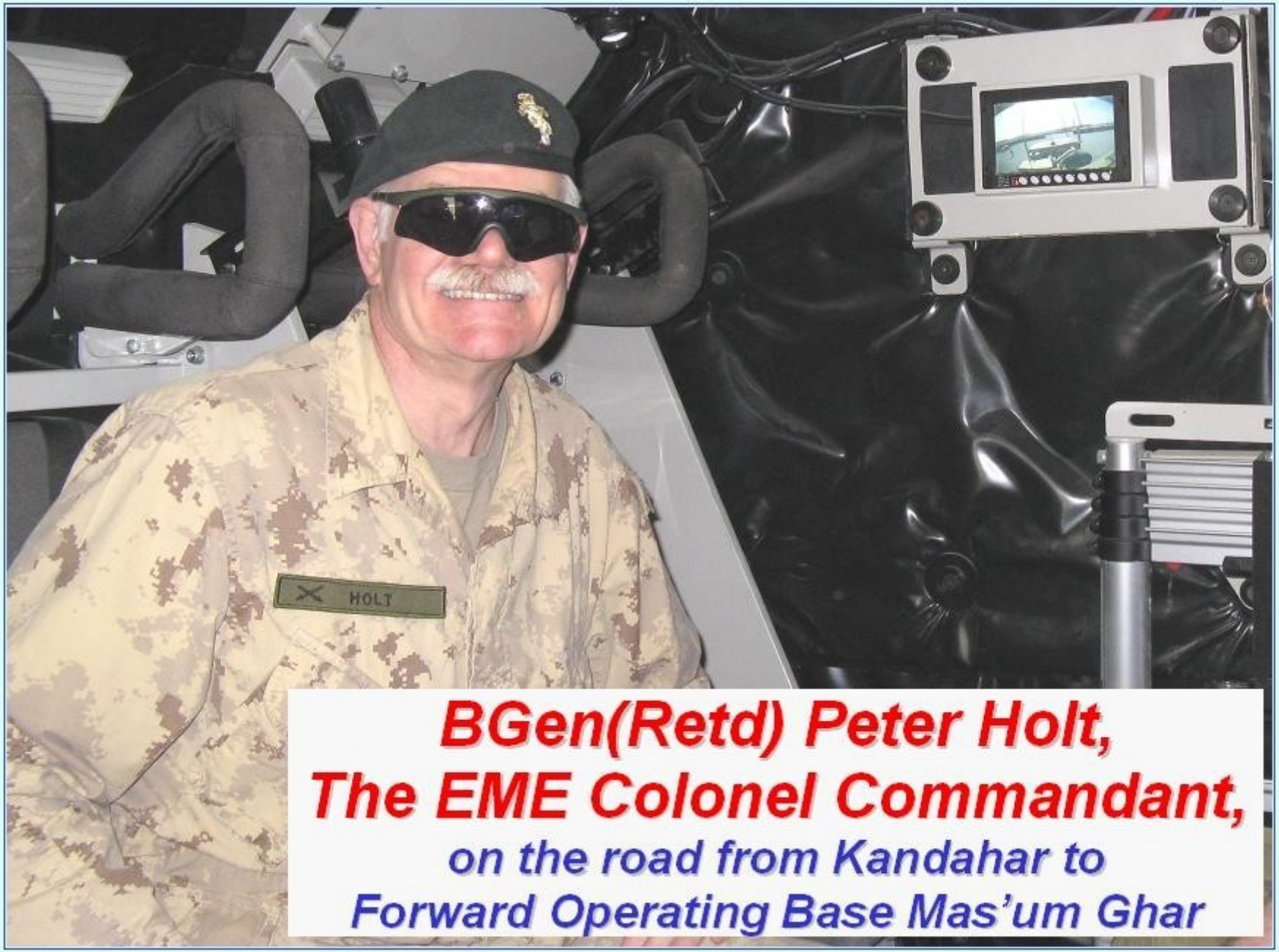
The Colonel Commandant in Afghanistan



BGen(Retd) Peter Holt, The EME Colonel Commandant,

on the road from Kandahar to Forward Operating Base Mas'um Ghar

along the streets of Kandahar

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view looking North-West from the OP above

Forward Operating Base Mas'um Ghar

Maint Troop Area in FOB Mas'um Ghar

(looking North from the OP above the camp)

Maint Troop Area in FOB Mas'um Ghar

(detail showing the three Leopard ARVs)

Craftsman Innovation

The EME Techs in Afghanistan have designed and made many improvements to operational equipment to improve soldier safety and comfort. Here are some examples . . .

Portable Field Latrine
complete with seat and screen

LAV3 Stowage Rack
for small items like water bottles

Enhanced protection inside vehicles

An extra Kevlar blanket to smother damage caused by exploding IEDs and rockets

The EME Troops in FOB Mas'um Ghar
Tank Squadron Maintenance Troop

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Maintenance Company's Special projects Team

The EME Troops in Kandahar

Maintenance Company

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Up-armouring Team

While he was in Afghanistan,
the Colonel Commandant, on behalf of the
RCEME and EME Associations,
bought Tim Horton's Coffee
for all of the EME soldiers . . .

and met one of his former scouts working at Tim Horton's.

On behalf of
ROTO 6 Maintenance Company,
we would like to thank you for your
generous donation and outstanding
efforts in supporting our soldiers.